

TABLE A-8. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure and age, Louisiana, 1996

Event or exposure <sup>1</sup>	Total fatalities (number)	Age (percent)								
		Under 16 years	16-17 years	18-19 years	20-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
Total	134	--	--	3.0	7.5	34.3	26.1	17.2	9.0	3.0
<b>Transportation incidents</b>	57	--	--	--	8.8	31.6	24.6	19.3	8.8	5.3
Highway incident	24	--	--	--	--	25.0	16.7	29.2	16.7	--
Highway incident, unspecified	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	75.0	--	--
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment	13	--	--	--	--	23.1	23.1	23.1	--	--
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment, unspecified	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Noncollision incident	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian, nonpassenger struck by vehicle, mobile equipment	10	--	--	--	--	30.0	40.0	--	--	--
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in parking lot or non-roadway area	5	--	--	--	--	--	60.0	--	--	--
Railway incident	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water vehicle incident	15	--	--	--	--	53.3	26.7	--	--	--
Fall from ship, boat, n.e.c.	11	--	--	--	--	63.6	--	--	--	--
Aircraft incident	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Aircraft incident, unspecified	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<b>Assaults and violent acts</b>	15	--	--	--	--	46.7	33.3	--	--	--
Homicides	15	--	--	--	--	46.7	33.3	--	--	--
Shooting	15	--	--	--	--	46.7	33.3	--	--	--
<b>Contact with objects and equipment</b>	32	--	--	9.4	9.4	28.1	25.0	15.6	12.5	--
Struck by object	19	--	--	15.8	15.8	21.1	26.3	21.1	--	--
Struck by falling object	8	--	--	37.5	37.5	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object, n.e.c.	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by rolling, sliding objects on floor or ground level	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects	8	--	--	--	--	--	37.5	--	37.5	--
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects, n.e.c.	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50.0	--
Caught in or crushed in collapsing materials	4	--	--	--	--	75.0	--	--	--	--
<b>Falls</b>	15	--	--	--	--	33.3	26.7	20.0	--	--
Fall to lower level	12	--	--	--	--	--	33.3	25.0	--	--

See footnotes at end of table.

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		Under 16 years	16-17 years	18-19 years	20-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
Fall from ladder	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from roof	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to lower level, n.e.c.	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<b>Exposure to harmful substances or environments</b>	14	--	--	--	--	50.0	28.6	--	--	--
Contact with electric current	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	3	--	--	--	--	100.0	--	--	--	--
Oxygen deficiency, n.e.c.	6	--	--	--	--	50.0	--	--	--	--
Drowning, submersion	6	--	--	--	--	50.0	--	--	--	--

<sup>1</sup> Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

Dashes indicate no data reported or data that do not meet publication

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n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified."

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries